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ATTENTION Adopt A Road Participants - It's Time For Spring Cleaning!

Yes, Its that time of year again, especially with Earth Day coming next week, to schedule/plan a Spring Cleaning of your adopted road! MCDOT provides various supplies such as gloves, reflective vests and bags. To arrange for pickup, contact the Community Outreach office by emailing the address below or call 240-777-7155 and leave a message.

Also, help us save paper and expenses by subscribing to this eNewsletter - send your email address to mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov

News, Updates, Numbers and Reminders

Process your own service request online! You can arrange for trash pick up 24/7 by submitting a service request on the MC311 website [CLICK HERE](#) or you can call 311 Monday thru Friday between 7:00am - 5:00pm.

WHERE DO I REPORT GRAFFITI?

In Montgomery County, call the GRaffiti ABatement Partners (GRAB) hotline at 301-607-GRAB (4722), or you can report graffiti on the Web at:

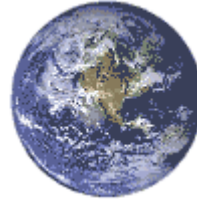
<http://www.graffitifree.org/report.html>



Please Help Us Monitor Trash Levels In The Region

When you report your cleanings, please include the volunteer group name, name of road, how many bags collected and type of bag used (tall kitchen trash bag, AAR orange bag, grocery store bag, etc.)- it will provide a vital source of data which

Help Celebrate Earth Day - April 22nd



Earth Day is becoming one of the most important hallmarks in the world of conservation and recycling. It gives those people who have not taken part in recycling the opportunity to make changes to their community that will be cherished for a lifetime.

Earth Day aims to inspire awareness of and appreciation for the earth's environment, and calls for the protection of our planet.

There are a variety of Earth Day activities that make caring for the planet fun for all ages. You can pitch in and help clean up any of the region's parks or attend a family event that includes learning ways to improve the environment and make a difference. It's time to take ownership of our planet; after all, it is the only Earth that we have!

Visit [Montgomery County Volunteer Center](#) for many volunteer projects throughout April in honor of Earth Day.

*For more Earth Day Events in Washington, DC, Maryland and Virginia [Click Here](#)

*[Bethesda Green Earth Day Events](#)

*[Shred, Recycle, and donate at Division of Solid Waste Service's paper shredding and household goods donation events](#) on April 30, May 22, and June 25, 2011.

*Turn in unwanted medicines on [National Prescription Drug Take Back Day](#), April 30th

Activities for kids of all ages:

[FUN CRAFTS FOR EARTH MONTH](#)



will be used in part to measure progress on the Trash Free Potomac Watershed Initiative.

Important Contact Numbers

Here are contacts you might find useful in the course of your cleaning activities.

Removal of Downed Trees/Limbs. Public trees that have fallen on sidewalks or right of way please call 311. Trees fallen on utility lines report to your local utility company.

Recycling Questions:

www.montgomerycountymd.gov/recycling

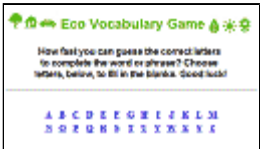
Missing or damaged AAR sign contact Traffic Operations. Send an email to TrafficOps@montgomerycountymd.gov Make sure to include exact location and your group name.



Eco-Concentration Game



Green Home Puzzle Game



Eco Vocabulary Game



Questions or concerns about the Adopt A Road Program? Call 240-777-7155 or [Email Us](#)